

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 758 - HB 1252

March 23, 2023

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides a procedure for the enforcement of a victims' constitutional and statutory rights in a court proceeding for a criminal offense committed against the victim. Authorizes the District Attorney General (DAG) prosecuting the criminal offense or the victim to assert the victim's rights.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The proposed legislation authorizes the DAG or the victim of a criminal offense to assert the victim's rights or request of a right in any court proceeding, by filing a motion or by orally asserting the right or requesting enforcement in open court in the criminal case.
- Providing a procedure for the enforcement of a victims' constitutional and statutory rights in a court proceeding will not significantly increase the workload of the DAGs.
- Passage of the proposed legislation will not significantly impact the number of cases in the court system for state or local government to experience any significant impact on revenue or expenditures.
- Any impact to state or local government is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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